

**R-12:07-155 RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
GLOUCESTER, COUNTY OF CAMDEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO
ESTABLISH A COMPLETE STREETS POLICY**

WHEREAS, the Township of Gloucester recognizes the need for a Complete Streets Policy to plan, design, build, and maintain streets to accommodate all users of all ages and abilities, including pedestrians, bicyclists, motorists, and transit vehicle users; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Gloucester defines complete streets as new and retrofitted roadways that are planned, designed, and maintained to enable safe access across and along the entire right-of-way for all users of all ages, abilities, and mode of transportation to improve quality of life and to preserve Gloucester Township as a great place to live, work and play; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Gloucester commits to creating a comprehensive and integrated transportation network that accommodates all users of all ages and abilities; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Gloucester recognizes there is a hierarchy of streets and a variety of land uses that require the need for flexibility in planning, designing, building, and maintaining streets to balance and complement the needs of all users of all ages and abilities of the community; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Gloucester shall incorporate the Complete Streets Policy within the next required re-examination, amendment, or adoption of the master plan; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Gloucester shall consider an exception to the Complete Streets Policy upon submission of support documents on the reasons for the exception, which must be approved by resolution of Township Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Gloucester, County of Camden, State of New Jersey that all new and retrofitted roadways (excluding general maintenance) shall be planned, designed and built as a “Complete Street” as defined herein in order to maintain streets to accommodate all users of all ages and abilities, including pedestrians, bicyclists, motorists, and transit vehicle users.

Adopted: July 9, 2012

ATTEST:

President of Council

Township Clerk